

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 3102 without my signature.

The bill is unnecessary. Current law requires the chairs of the Legislature's elections committees to meet with the Secretary of State. This bill deletes that requirement and instead, requires the Secretary of State to meet with chairs and vice-chairs of the committee to report on electronic voting systems. Who meets with whom and how often will have no effect on the integrity of the election process.

Sounds like a school yard fight to me.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger